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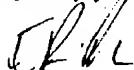
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Examiner Flandro,

Here is a copy of the Second Preliminary Amendment which was filed on May 13, 2004. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Very truly yours,



Eric Robins

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TITLE: GUIDING MEANS AT A JOINT
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Serial No.: 10/754,564

Prior Examiner: R. Flandro

Filed: January 12, 2004

For: GUIDING MEANS AT A JOINT

SECOND PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

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Sir:

Further to the Preliminary Amendment filed January 12, 2004, and prior to an examination on the merits, please further amend the above-identified application as follows.

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